



LONDON WESTMINSTER & MIDDLESEX FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY

ST SEPULCHRE, HOLBORN

St Sepulchre, Holborn, Holborn Viaduct

St Sepulchre was an ancient parish in the City of London and formed part of Farringdon Without Ward. Each ward has an elected alderman and supporting councilmen in the City of London Corporation which has administered the City since before the Norman Conquest and is still doing so today.

The church of St Sepulchre, Holborn Viaduct, was first mentioned in 1137. It was damaged in the Great Fire of 1666 and was rebuilt in 1670-71. However, the tower and outer wall date from around 1450. The church is now the National Musicians' Church. The church is also known as St Sepulchre without Newgate and also Holy Sepulchre without Newgate as it stood just outside the Newgate walls. The parish was partly within the City of London and partly within the former county of Middlesex. Records of St Sepulchre including registers of baptisms (1662-1987), marriages (1662-1981) and burials (1662-1857) are at London Metropolitan Archives, Ref: P69/SEP.



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